

Table 8: U.S. Export Sales Summary ^{1/}

U.S. export sales were up in February 2000. Upland cotton sales for delivery in MY 1999/2000 during Feb 3- Mar 2 (5 weeks) registered net sales of 512,500 running bales, a weekly average of 102,500 bales. In MY 1998/99, upland sales during Feb 4- Feb 25, 1999, registered net sales of 81,400 running bales, a weekly average of 27,133 bales. The weekly upland export average through Mar 2 for MY 1999/2000 was 98,000 running bales against MY 1998/99's weekly export average of 88,000 running bales. Accumulated exports through Mar 2 for MY 1999/2000 were 3.03 million bales, compared with 2.72 million bales last year. Total upland outstanding sales for MY 1999/2000 were 2.97 million running bales, compared with 987,000 bales the same time a year ago. Upland commitments to date were 6.0 million running bales, compared with 3.7 million bales last year. Pima export sales during Feb 3 - Mar 2 for delivery during MY 1999/2000 totaled 48,700 running bales and total net sales were 47,400 running bales. Pima accumulated exports through Mar 2 for MY 1999/2000 totaled 180,200 running bales, compared with 137,300 running bales the same time a year ago. Total Pima commitments amounted to 372,400 running bales.

U.S. Cotton Export Sales For 4 -Week Period February 3 - March 2, MY 1999/2000 (1,000 Running Bales)					
Region/Country	Pima	All Upland	-----Upland-----		
			>1-1/16"	1" to 1-1/16"	< 1"
European Union ^{2/}	9.4	18.3	18.3	0.0	0.0
Other Western Europe	-1.0	213.2	147.5	62.2	3.5
Eastern Europe	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Former Soviet Union	0.0	8.8	8.8	0.0	0.0
Japan	9.0	35.9	32.8	2.3	0.8
Taiwan	10.0	23.7	8.3	13.0	2.4
China	0.4	3.2	3.3	-0.1	0.0
Korea Republic	1.0	4.7	5.8	-1.1	0.0
India	2.6	15.3	2.6	12.7	0.0
Other Asia & Oceania	16.1	99.1	78.5	19.7	1.0
Africa	0.0	0.9	0.9	0.0	0.0
Western Hemisphere	0.0	106.1	52.4	55.5	-1.8
Unknown	<u>-0.3</u>	<u>-16.9</u>	<u>-11.1</u>	<u>-4.9</u>	<u>-0.9</u>
Total Net Sales	47.4	512.5	348.1	159.4	5.0
Note: Totals may not add due to rounding. ^{1/} Total Net Sales includes 461,800 running bales of Upland and 46,400 running bales of Pima carryover from MY 1998/99. ^{2/} European Union refers to the group of 15 countries formerly known as the European Community. Source: USDA/FAS					

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